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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for:

() one month	() three months
(X) two months	() four months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for a three-month extension of time is \$410.00

(x) Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account No. 50-1290. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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() Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.	
A verified small entity statement:	
() has been filed () is enclosed.	
Also enclosed is a:	
(X) Response () Notice of Appeal () Appeal Brief	
() Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
() Sub Power of Attorney/Change of Correspondence Address	

Respectfully submitted,

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